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REMARKS

Applicants gratefully acknowledge the Examiner's indication that claims 1, 4, 7, and 10-12 are directed to allowable subject matter.

Because the sole remaining issue was merely a section 112 issue that is addressed by a straightforward amendment to claim 1, entry of this amendment after final office action is proper.

The rejection of claims 1, 4, 7, and 10-12 as being indefinite for failing to set forth the subject matter which Applicants regard as their invention:

Consider the discussion of Figure 2 on page 12, lines 1-22. The bumps in portion 202 form a ROM portion whereas the grooves/lands portion 204 forms a RAM (writeable) portion. Thus, there is written support to amend claim 1 to recite "the first portion thereby being a ROM portion and the second portion being a RAM portion."

Because the ROM portion is thus made explicit (as well as the RAM), the ROM and RAM portions referred to on page 6 of the previous response (as quoted by the Examiner) are now reflected in the claims. Accordingly, the claims are now definite.

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CONCLUSION

For the reasons set forth above, the pending claims are in condition for allowance.

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